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For:	METHOD FOR DOWN-REGULATING GDF-8 ACTIVITY		

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March 22, 2004 (Monday)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 21, 2003, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to March 21, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are submitted in connection with the above-indicated application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.